

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION	:	
CORPORATION,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	12-mc-00115 (JSR)
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-v-	:	<u>NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL</u>
	:	<u>OF APPEARANCE</u>
BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT	:	
SECURITIES LLC,	:	
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Defendant.	:	
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In re:	:	
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MADOFF SECURITIES	:	
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PERTAINS TO CASE 12-cv-2638	:	
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Sara A. Ricciardi of the law firm of Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP hereby withdraws her appearance as counsel for Defendants Fairfield Greenwich Limited, Fairfield Greenwich (Bermuda) Limited, Fairfield Greenwich Advisors LLC, Fairfield Heathcliff Capital LLC, Fairfield International Managers, Inc., Fairfield Greenwich (UK) Limited, Chester Management Cayman Limited, Mark McKeefry, Daniel Lipton, Gordon McKenzie, Richard Landsberger, Philip Toub, Charles Murphy, Andrew Smith, Harold Greisman, Lourdes Barreneche, Santiago Reyes, Jacqueline Harary, and Corina Noel Piedrahita (the "Defendants"). All other previously appearing counsel from Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP continue to serve as counsel in this action for the Defendants.

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